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The total number of cases and deaths on the line of the railroad from June 18 to September 1 is as follows:

	Cases.	Deaths.
Choloma .....	135	57
San Pedro .....	600	145
Chamelicon .....	128	23
Puerto Cortez .....	135	46
Total .....	998	271

The consular agent at San Pedro writes as follows in a letter dated September 8, received on the 11th:

Choloma, 1 case on hand, convalescent; San Pedro, 2 cases, new; Chamelicon, 6 cases; Rio Blanco (a suburb of San Pedro), 2 cases, 1 death. This small town, about 3 miles from San Pedro and included in the city limits, remained free until the 14th, when the fever was reported there. San Pedro had 1 death on the 7th, the first in fifteen days. Choloma and Chamelicon, no deaths for ten days.

I have been informed that oil, sulphur, and lime have been distributed all along the line of the road, and that the work of cleaning and oiling and screening has begun, and Puerto Cortez will be given a thorough cleaning for the third time, the work starting on the 18th instant. This work was stopped for lack of material about four weeks ago, and the material arrived from the United States by last boat.

I think that when all the reports are received the total number of cases officially reported will be at least 1,000; total deaths about 280. Out of the total number of deaths reported to date the mortality among Americans and other foreigners at the different points is as follows: Puerto Cortez, 3 (1 American, 1 Frenchman, 1 Norwegian); Choloma, 2 (1 American, 1 Canadian); San Pedro, 11 Americans (about 6 of these were alcoholics), 4 Germans; Armenians and Turks, number not reported, mostly fatal; Chamelicon, none; Rio Blanco, none; Cienaguita, none; Tulian, none.

#### INDIA.

#### *Report from Calcutta—Cholera and plague mortality—Cholera, plague, and smallpox in the Punjab.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Eakins reports, August 31, as follows:

There were no transactions at this port during the week ended August 26, 1905.

During the same week there were 34 deaths from cholera and 13 deaths from plague in Calcutta.

In Bengal during the week ended August 19, 1905, there were 44 cases and 38 deaths from plague. In India during the same week, 2,385 cases and 1,740 deaths.